

### L. A. County Is State's Richest

By the United Press  
SACRAMENTO. — Los Angeles county, which stands first in population among the 58 counties of California, now ranks first in wealth, with a grand total value of all property of \$1,514,261,965.

This was disclosed here today in a compilation by State Controller Ray L. Riley, showing the valuation of all assessable property in the counties of the state.

For the first time in California history the total of all property in the state exceeded the 10 billion dollar mark, declared Riley. "The exact figure was \$1,514,261,965. Only two counties showed property values in excess of a billion dollars. These were Los Angeles, with \$1,514,261,965, and San Francisco with \$1,743,450,743."

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### Yesteryears' Newspapers

First Edition of Philadelphia Public Ledger is on Display at Herald Office as Oldest Paper So Far in This Series

(Editor's Note: Have you a copy of an old newspaper? If you have, The Herald would like to see and pass on its interesting features to our readers. All old papers will be returned to the owners intact within a week after they are received.)

"In offering to the public another newspaper, we are fully aware of the objection which may be urged, that the community is already overstocked with this commodity."

So declares the first editorial ever published by that great newspaper, the Philadelphia Public Ledger, in its "Vol. 1, No. 1," printed on Friday morning, March 25, 1836. This, the oldest newspaper found yet in Torrance, is the property of Mrs. Harry Dalley, who also loaned the Herald her framed copy of the New York Herald for 1865 last week.

Both of these newspapers are on exhibition at the Herald office on El Prado through the courtesy of the owner. The Ledger, of 94 years ago, is radically different from its present edition and consequently, newspapers of today. Because it was a "penny newspaper" it followed the tabloid size, being 15 1/2 inches long by 10 1/2 inches wide. In its initial editorial, the Ledger declared its independent policy. "We shall give no place to religious discussions nor to political discussions, involving questions of merely partisan character. The Ledger will worship no man, and be devoted to no parties. The common good is its object."

But the Ledger is not all crime news. Here we have a dispatch from Texas: "It is confidently affirmed that the despot Santa Anna has been sworn to abdicate that province or to lose Mexico." The title—lose Mexico!

A great industry was being organized in 1836—the date of Mrs. Dalley's paper—as this story appears: "We saw in the News Room at the Exchange yesterday, a loaf of sugar, extracted from the best root, and the price of which was per pound. We confidently believe that this sugar will soon become in great demand. It is clear, the crystals are remarkably brilliant and of fine flavor."

"A youth (whose name we suppress) in the hope that he may yet reform) of some 29 years of age, yet exhibiting not to be mistaken indications of familiarity with vice, was convicted of drunkenness, fined and discharged."

"John Smith, a genteel looking young man, was charged with stealing some 40 or 50 yards of blue striped drilling. The goods were found upon him under very suspicious circumstances, and he was consequently fully committed."

"Elizabeth Revell, arraigned for drunkenness and riotous conduct. She appeared at the stand accompanied by her husband, who was even at that early hour sufficiently hoarse. Elizabeth succeeded in obtaining a pardon from his honor, for this first offence, and was discharged."

"Six sons of Hibernia, named Thomas Manly, Thomas Hall, John Farrell, Darby Manly, Patrick Manly and William McCann, charged with a riot last night were placed on the stand. The magistrate, in consideration of their being strangers held them to bail on their own recognizance, in the sum of \$200 each."

"The front page of the Philadelphia Ledger is but four columns wide, two of which contain advertisements and the remainder given over to an account of 'interesting messages in the life of Nature's and Scott's Herald, Robert Burns.' Come in and see this old paper first and notice for yourself its interesting contents, make-up and type styles. You are welcome at the Herald office."

## IN THE AMUSEMENT WORLD

### FOX REDONDO HAS UNUSUAL FILM DRAMA



Scene from "Sinners' Holiday" Warner Bros. Production.

Those who have wondered about the lives of professionals engaged in the business of running comedies, will find a most unusual and interesting picture in the Fox Redondo today. It is a picture which has been called "Sinners' Holiday" and it is a picture which is being shown at the Fox Redondo today.

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### Boy Screen Star in Envidable Role At Theater Here

A million youngsters in America today would gladly trade places with Junior Durkin. Not because he is in motion pictures, for hundreds of other boys have shared this honor, or because he happens to have acquired some money in his own name, for there are thousands of boys who are infinitely more wealthy than he.

But, because he happens to be galloping along on a fast pony, chased by real Indians, swings a lariat around actual cows, sits down to eat with hardened cowboys and, in short, is in all purposes a "sure enough" cowboy.

Durkin plays the part of "Old Timer," a youth of the early West, in "The Santa Fe Trail," Paramount's talking film edition of the Hal G. Evans' novel, "Spanish Acres," and the principal offering at the Torrance Theater, showing Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday.

As the pal of Richard Arlen and Eugene Pallette, he herds thousands of sheep across country from Kansas to New Mexico. Being a cowboy is the heart's desire of nearly every American boy. Like all of the others, Durkin has cherished the same dream. Born in the East far away from the cow country, Durkin has lived his life around the stage. Before he was three, he was acting. Since that time he has appeared in numerous plays.

### ALL-TALKING SPANISH HIT AT LOMITA

Notable additions to the Bell-Tone sound apparatus at the popular Lomita theater are being made this week, according to Mr. and Mrs. P. Doucet, who are operating the Lomita show house. "We have planned some improvements that will place the Lomita theater on a par with the best of community theaters in Southern California," Doucet said yesterday. "We have engaged in testing the new apparatus."

A special feature of this week's bill which should be of interest to students of Spanish as well as Mexican people who are familiar with the language, is the showing of the all-talking Spanish drama, "Sombras De Gloria." This production is noted for its sound perfection and enables a student of the language to learn a great deal as well as enjoying a polished performance. This will be heard and seen at the Lomita at 10:45 p. m. Saturday night, and again at 11:30 a. m. Sunday.

"The Sea Wolf," which is Milling's last picture before his death, comes to the Lomita Sunday and Monday, and another featured production this week is Ken Maynard's "Sons of the Saddle," a gripping Western talkie.

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### "Sunny Jim" Rolph Noted For His Smile and Hearty Greeting

SACRAMENTO. — He has a twinkle in his eye and greets you with a handshake you can feel. Whether you be of high or low estate, you receive a broad smile and often a friendly pat on the back when you meet Mayor James Rolph Jr., California's next governor.

When he takes office in Sacramento next January, Rolph will bring to the position one of the most charming personalities to be found in public life anywhere. Immediately followed by his wife, wearing a buttonhole carnation or gardenia, Mayor Rolph is a striking and distinguished figure. He is 61 years old, of medium stout build, has a ruddy complexion and iron-gray hair. His only affection—it may be so termed—is his preference for a pair of high-heeled boots, which he wears underneath his trousers instead of "Oxfords," because they feel more comfortable.

Horn in that part of San Francisco known as "South of the slot," Rolph got his start in life as a messenger boy for a shipping concern. His education was received at Valencia, Agassiz and Haight public schools, Trinity college, and Horace Mann school, from which he was graduated in 1888. It was in the hectic days after the great fire of 1906 that Rolph first attained prominence. He was named to head the Mission district relief association, ministering to the wants of 75,000 victims of the disaster. Rolph first ran for mayor in 1911, opposing Mayor P. H. McCarthy, then president of the Building Trades council. He served four years, being re-elected in 1915, the year of the Panama-Pacific International Exposition.

Likes "Puttering Around"  
In 1918 Rolph ran for governor of California on three tickets—Republican, Democratic and Progressive, winning the nomination of the latter two but not his own party. The Republican ticket, which qualified him from running at the general election. Two banks in the Mission district owe their existence to Rolph, who founded the building company, and has served as director of several institutions. During the World war his personal fortune is said to have shrunk by several millions, part of which he later recovered. He has served as president of the Merchants' exchange, a director of the Shipowners' association, director of the San Francisco Chamber of Commerce, and almost a perpetual leader of various Mission district associations.

Several medals of honor have been conferred upon him by foreign nations for service during the war, and courtesies shown to visiting delegations. In 1909 Rolph married Anne Marshall Reid. They have two daughters and one son, all grown. Rolph belongs to a Episcopal church and is a member of nearly every club in San Francisco, including the Press club. His hobby is his thousand-acre ranch where he likes to get into old clothes, a slouch hat and just "putter around."

### Relief Society is Given Fine Help

The Torrance Relief Society acknowledges with grateful appreciation the gift of \$41.61 which was made up collection taken at union church, held Sunday at the high school auditorium in observance of Armistice day.

Many needy families in the Torrance district will be benefited by this donation, according to officers of the society who are in charge of the local relief work.

### Girls' Play Day Will Be Held Here

(Continued from 1-A)

Hama, Muriel Alverson, Tomiko Kamel, Masuyo Kunita, Dorothy Hammond, Betty Mae Foster and substitute, Lorena Jones.

Juniors are: Catherine relay; Inez Nicoletti; Genevieve Leatherman, Geraldine Bradford, Mona Cadin, Catherine McLean, Atsuyo Sakamoto, Irene Wilkes, Peggy Hamilton, and substitutes Rosamund McNeil and Martha Hope. Hoop rolling relay: Joan Ryan, Martha Hope, Dorothy Ernst, Lorena Young, Yonoko Yasuda, Leola Austin, Dorothy Volanet, Virginia Mason and substitutes, Virginia Mason and Mary Asamoto. Par-ten relay: Mary Hechtel, Marie McHenry, Dorothy Elder, Mildred Higgins, Ruth Edmunds, Henrietta Schipper, Grace Kobuski, Georgia Tiffany and substitutes, Virginia Alcock and Geneva Everett.

The seniors are: Succor: Genevieve Andrews, Saliko Sueda, Phyllis Buckler, Hazel Foster, Rose Armstrong, Christine Ingram and Lois Everett. Chair race: Joss Armstrong, Pimola Ishiava, Pauline Hamman and Carmen Rivera. Jump rope: Freddie Hancock, Pimola Ishiava, Pauline Hamman, Christine Ingram, Carmen Rivera, Saliko Sueda, Lois Everett and Rosa Armstrong.

### Norma's Latest Drama Comes to Hermosa Sunday

It is refreshing to view Norma Talmadge's magnificent drama, "Du Barry, Woman of Passion," based on the love life of the famous French chambermaid.

Her new United Artists starring picture, produced and directed by Sam Taylor, comes to the Hermosa theater beginning Sunday and for three days.

It marks the return to the screen of an American idol, William Farnham, whose tremendous following of fans waited six years for his recovery from ill health. Playing the role of King Louis XV opposite Miss Talmadge, he reveals a more dynamic gift of characterization than ever.

Miss Talmadge's performance is not only brilliant from the standpoint of technique, but is extraordinary in its warmth and vitality. Her love scenes with Conrad Nagel, leading man, have poignancy and charm. Those with Farnham have a gay beginning and a tragic finale. In up other roles, she has been so convincingly a creature of love and flame.

### THIS IS NEWS

By the United Press  
RENO. — It cost Max Rushin \$50 for biting a policeman on the hand here. The officer testified that Rushin had "chewed him up" while resisting arrest for drunkenness.

### MAY BE HARD TO GET

By the United Press  
LOS ANGELES. — Four months ago, Mrs. Rose Hoffman sent her hubby out to buy a pack of cigarettes. "He must be walking a lot of miles for them," she told the judge, who granted a divorce.

## TORRANCE

TONIGHT  
Kay Johnson and Reginald Denny in  
"MADAM SATAN"

FRIDAY & SATURDAY  
Rube Goldberg's  
"SOUP TO NUTS"

SUNDAY, MONDAY  
Fifi Dorsay and Reginald Denny in  
"Those Three French Girls"

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### FOX PLAZA HAS NOTED TRAVELOGUE

"Office Wife," with Dorothy Mackall and Lewis Stone, plays for the last times Friday night at the Fox Plaza theater. An Our cowboy is the principal offering at the Torrance Theater, showing Tuesday, Wednesday and Thursday.

For Saturday only, the offering will be "Africa Speaks," one of the strangest adventure pictures presented on the talking screen. Every foot of this picture was actually made in the wilds of Africa and many strange and unbelievable things are pictured that have never before been filmed. A Mack Bennett talking comedy and a Paramount act are also on the program.

For Sunday and Monday, Cecil B. DeMille's masterpiece, "Madam Satan," will bring to the screen one of the year's most sensational productions. A giant Zeppelin breaking away from its mooring and cracking up in midair is one of the thrilling moments of the production. The cast is headed by Kay Johnson, Reginald Denny and Lillian Roth.

Tuesday and Wednesday, John Barrymore in "Moby Dick" offers the talking version of that memorable production, "The Sea Beast." A Charles Chase comedy entitled "Looser Than Loose" completes this program, which runs for two days, ending Wednesday.

Thursday and Friday, Metro-Goldwyn-Mayer's "Those Three French Girls," will be the feature attraction. This picture is really a female "Cokekeyed World" and is filled with plenty of laughs and snappy music. Fifi Dorsay, Yola D'Arvil and Sandra Ravel are costarred in the production, while Cliff Edwards leads his usual bit of comedy and tuneful melodies.

Saturday, November 22, is an especially awaited day for local youngsters and probably elders as well; for that is the day that "The Indians Are Coming" to the Fox Plaza. This serial sensation of the year will run for 12 thrilling chapters, each packed with action, punch and good clean romance.

### FOX PLAZA

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